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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)			Do	Docket No. (Optional) S3100.0003/P0003		
In re Application of Toru Ishii et al.						
	Application Number 09/760,593-Conf. #4296			Filed January 16, 2001		
	For: PUNCHING APPARATUS AND THE PUNCHING UNIT THEREOF					
	Art Unit 3724 Exami			iner P. H. Nguyen		
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.						
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):						
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))				\$		
Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))				\$		
X Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))				\$	950.00	
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))				\$		
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))				\$		
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is						
reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$						
A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.						
Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.						
X The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any						
overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-2215						
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applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).						
attorney or agent of record. Registration Number						
attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 38,586						
April 30, 2004 April 30, 2004						
Date Signature						
(212) 896-5452						
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below						
Total of 1	forms are submitte	ed.				

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